

# BIG SANDY NEWS.

*Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam.*

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## OIL MATTERS.

**Two New Wells Will be Started Next Week.**

**Nothing New Has Been Given Out Since Last Week About the Completed Well.**

No important developments in oil matters have occurred since our issue of last week, beyond the fact that a new drilling rig has arrived and is being taken to the Northup & Wood territory. A well will be started just as soon as the machinery can be put in place. Also, another well will be started soon near the one already drilled in, four miles south of Louisa.

Pumping machinery and a tank of 250 barrels capacity have been taken to the completed well and a pumping test will be made as soon as the tank can be set up.

The prospects are considered good and it is hoped the development will be rapid. It is said that all available property within the desired boundary has been leased.

New oil men are arriving every day. Great interest is being manifested.

### Knights of the Golden Eagle.

The Grand Castle of Kentucky Knights of the Golden Eagle will convene in Grayson the second Tuesday in August. Grand Chief James S. Mannus has appointed the following deputies: L. N. Hutchinson, Calisburg; John Noyes, Jr., Newport; John W. Mabry, Lexington; Jackson Smith, Paducah; John F. Queen, Boyd's Fork; Henry Adkins, Kilkiss; M. E. Sparks, Martha; John W. Clutter, Olive Hill; Robert M. Bagby, Grayson; George M. Balley, Enterprise; E. G. McKinster, Chillicothe; Dr. C. M. Clay, McGlove; John L. Bowling, Pottomac; Joshua Oliver, Roscoe; Benjamin F. Dawson, Ashland and F. D. Webb, Glenwood.

### Republican Convention.

A meeting of the Republican committees of the 32nd Senatorial and 88th Legislative districts was held in Ashland last week to decide on the time, place and manner of selecting candidates. It was decided to hold both conventions in Ashland on Saturday, August 11, with county mass conventions on August 13.

Mass conventions will be held in each county on Friday, August 13, for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the district convention at Ashland. The basis of representation will be one delegate for each 100 votes cast for Wm. H. Taft, or fraction thereof over 50.

M. M. Burges, of this county, attended the meeting.

### Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Burns Entertain.

It is quite the vogue for those who entertain at flinch in the afternoon to supplement that function with whilst in the evening, at which time the masculine element is kindly remembered with invitations. Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Burns were thoughtful in this regard last Thursday, and the acceptance of their invitations filled their elegant home. The night was hot and the games were "warm," but delicious punch flowed freely and the frozen feast served at the close minimized the heat and delightfully refreshed the guests. The affair was quite informal and altogether pleasant.

### Pauley to be Census Supervisor.

Although the appointment is to be made some months later, it is now known that J. Ferrel Pauley, of Pikeville, will be selected as the Census Supervisor for the Tenth Congressional district. He is at the head of the Republican organization in Pike county. He will have an enormous amount of pie to distribute among the faithful.

Mr. Jo D. Meade, a former citizen of Johnson county, but now residing in Big Sandy, will be chief clerk to the Supervisor.

### John W. Woods Married.

The following from the Ashland Independent will be read with much interest by the many friends of the groom:

The wedding of Miss Frances Peebles and County Attorney John W. Woods will take place next Tuesday evening, the 29th inst. It will be a quiet home wedding, and will be witnessed by only the immediate relatives. The Rev. Dr. W. C. Condit, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will perform the ceremony.

The bride-elect is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peebles, and one of Ashland's most cultured and pleasant young ladies. County Attorney Woods is one of Boyd county's most popular young professional men, this fact being evidenced by the handsome majority he received in his election for County Attorney. He is a graduate from the Kentucky State College, at Lexington, and, while he was born in Lawrence county, yet he has been a resident of Ashland since he entered the law practice just after leaving school.

After the wedding Mr. Woods and bride will leave for an extended wedding tour, and on their return in September, will be at home in Ashland to their many friends.

### In Ditch Many Hours.

James Kelly fell into a ditch near the residence of Felix Jobe in the one neighborhood on Friday last and having failed, he went to Riverview hospital on Friday last and submitted to a surgical operation for a radical cure. The operation was done the same day and Mr. Kelly is now doing well, with every prospect of entire recovery.

Other recent patients at Riverview are Miss Maude Hatton, of Prichard; Arthur Hardwick, of Fort Gay, and A. J. Hall, of Buffalo, Johnson county. Mr. Hall, accompanied by his wife and child, had started to Hot Springs, Ark., but he changed his mind and went to our Louisa hospital instead.

### ADJUDGED INSANE.

### Sad Case of George Bell, a Learned Geologist Who Becomes Demented.

Mr. George Bell, well known resident of Louisa, was tried by a jury in Judge Thompson's court on Wednesday last and found to be insane. It had been noticed for a long time that Mr. Bell was acting queerly. He is a man of fine personal appearance showing all the outward marks of rare intelligence which he possessed. He was reserved in manner to all and had no intimates, but when he chose to converse he exhibited a great fund of learning, particularly in geology and the kindred sciences. He is the author of a text book on geology which is declared by those who have read his manuscript to be a model of concise, clearly stated information on this important subject.

Mr. Bell came to Louisa several years ago, but he has not resided here continuously, sometimes going to Chicago and elsewhere for a stay of some months.

So far as we are able to learn Mr. Bell has not been very violent at any time, but of late his mental aberration seems to have increased, and it was therefore deemed best to send him to an asylum for treatment. It is sincerely hoped that his present dementia is but temporary, and that the gentle restraint and the proper treatment of the asylum may soon entirely restore him. An attendant from the Lexington Asylum came for Mr. Bell and took him away.

### Suggests Oil.

The hotel registers now bristle with such residence names as Oil City, Pa.; Bradford, Pa.; Tonawanda, N. Y., and Sistersville, W. Va. These places are great crude oil centers and the men from them have scented the field from afar. The hotel and livery trades should be looking up.

### A Half-Life and Half A Life.

The NEWS this week publishes the first installment of the story promised in last week's paper. It is a story of much interest to Big Sandyans, both young and old. It will continue through six or seven issues.

### I. O. of A. T. Member in the Toils.

We are sorry to have to mention the fact that our esteemed friend, Sir Knight B. P. Cassady of the above named order is about to "get in bad" on account of alleged gross negligence of the observance of the rules of the society. Brother Cassady has been for several years a member in high standing and his integrity of character has, up to recently, been unquestioned and we trust that he may be able to extricate himself from the grave charges now preferred against him.

It is claimed that he has been in the habit of arising early in the morning, even before the peep of day and, with hoe in hand and sleeves rolled up, has several times been observed in his potato patch back of his home making the dirt fly even into his neighbor's yards across the road. Any of the members who saw him happened to be out at this early hour is yet to be explained. We trust that S. K. B. P. C. will be able to extricate himself from this unenviable position and that the I. O. of A. S. (Independent Order of Anti-Sweats) may see its way clear to forgive him for this, his first offense, and continue his valuable services to the order.—*Olive Hill Times.*

### At the Hospital.

Ren Carter, of Little Blaine, had been suffering for some time with a serious malady, and, after means having failed, he went to Riverview hospital on Friday last and submitted to a surgical operation for a radical cure. The operation was done the same day and Mr. Carter is now doing well, with every prospect of entire recovery.

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### Louisian Fined.

Steve Creel, who so viciously assaulted Lum Muney in front of Davis' saloon on Second avenue yesterday, was tried in police court and fined twenty-five dollars. Muney, whose name is at Louisa, declared that he had not but a vague recollection of the affair. It was shown that he used provocative language to Creel and that he was guilty of disorderly conduct. He was fined five dollars. Muney's face was black from the beating he received at the hands of Creel. It was shown that after knocking Muney down the second time and beating him severely, Creel had kicked him brutally.—*Huntington Item.*

### Flour Not Declining.

According to a Cincinnati dealer there is not much chance for a decline in the price of flour for a good while to come. Flour is not as high as it ought to be in comparison with the price of wheat. If we had to make flour out to wheat bought today at \$1.62½ a bushel you would still get higher prices, he says. Spring patent flour especially will not decline soon. Winter patent flour will start to drop when the new wheat crop arrives, about the middle of July. The decline ought to be \$1.00 to \$1.50 a barrel.

### Killed on the Track.

Sunday No. 15, fast passenger train on the Norfolk & Western railroad, ran down and fatally injured a colored man not far from Vivian. The man was walking on the track and was discovered by the engine men and though they blew the whistle, rang the bell and did everything possible to call his attention to the approach of the train, he gave no attention to the alarms but walked deliberately on until the engine struck him.

### Judge William Beckner.

On yesterday Judge William Beckner, of Winchester, representing Superintendent of Instruction Crabbe, spoke to quite a large and very attentive audience in the court house, this city. The Judge handled the subject of education in Kentucky clearly and forcibly.

## TWO DEATHS.

### Louisa Homes Saddened by Loss of Loved Ones.

### Wife of Mont Holt and Little Son of John G. Burns Called Into Eternity.

Between seven and eight o'clock on last Sunday evening Mrs. Mont Holt, wife of County Clerk Holt, died at her home in this city after a lingering illness of tuberculosis of the lungs. Her sickness was accompanied by much suffering, and death, unfeared, was welcome to the patient wife and mother.

On Tuesday morning the body was taken to Basye, once Mrs. Holt's home, and in the Methodist church of the little village the service for the dead was held, conducted by her pastor, the Rev. Thomas Hanford. Interment was made shortly after the conclusion of the exercises.

Mrs. Holt was a daughter of the late Oliver Wellman and Mrs. George Burgess, of Georges Creek. She left her husband and three children, one very young, to mourn the loss of an affectionate wife and devoted mother. She was thirty-two years old.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Burns died last Monday morning at 4 o'clock, after an illness of about a week. The serious condition of the child was apparent for only two or three days previous to its death.

The funeral took place at the residence at ten o'clock Tuesday morning, conducted by Rev. G. C. Hutchinson, pastor of the M. E. Church South. Rev. G. G. Riggs, of the Baptist Church, assisted with the service. Interment was made in Pine Hill Cemetery, in the presence of a large number of sympathetic friends.

Little Rowland Therman Burns was one year old on June 8th. He was the first boy to come into this home, in which two little girls had already made their appearance. Also, this was the first grandson of Judge R. T. Burns to bear the family name and the Judge's full name. The little fellow was the idol of his parents and grandparents and his death is a heavy blow to all of them. In their bereavement they have the deepest sympathy of all friends and acquaintances. The floral offerings were numerous and very beautiful.

### Widow of John T. Johnson Dead.

Mrs. Johnson, widow of the late Rev. John T. Johnson, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ruthertford at Central City last Thursday morning after an extended illness. She and her husband, who has been dead about a year, were well known throughout this section, the latter being a prominent minister of the M. E. Church, South. Mrs. Johnson's remains were taken to Round Bottom or Prichard, W. Va., for interment.

### Enforce The Dog Laws.

It's entirely safe to bet that there are still some dogs in Louisa upon which no tax has been paid. The night is made hideous with their yelps, and little helpless children on the streets are ready victims for any of the worthless mongrels which infest our streets. One of these days, we greatly fear, some cur will bite some little one, and then, too late, a war of extermination will be waged.

### Shocking Accident.

At Hellier a few days ago a 12-year-old boy, son of a man named Roma, was sent to the pasture to drive home a cow. He tied a rope around the cow's neck and tied the other end to his wrist. The cow becoming frightened ran, dragging the little fellow through creeks, wire fences, etc. He was fearfully mangled, and was dead when picked up.

Recent marriages in Pikeville are Miss Hester Bird Francis to Thomas Trivette, June 30th, and Miss Attie Brewer to Henry Thomas, June 28th.

### Now Three Cents a Mile.

After the first of July passengers traveling over the lines of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad in West Virginia will have to pay for their transportation at the rate of three cents per mile, instead of two cents as at present. The two-cent rate has been in effect since the spring of 1907, the Legislature of that year having passed a law limiting the mileage rate for passenger traffic in the State to two cents. The action of the railroad in restoring the interstate rate will be the result of the order issued Tuesday by Judge S. C. Burdett, of the Circuit Court of Kanawha county, restraining from enforcing the two-cent law against the Chesapeake and Ohio. Judge Burdett's order provides that the railway company shall, in case it restores the three-cent rate, issue tickets bearing coupons citing the court order, these coupons to be held by the passenger for rebate by the railway company in case the injunction is dissolved by the Supreme Court.

### The Convention.

The Lawrence County Sunday school Convention met in the Southern Methodist Church yesterday afternoon. The attendance is good and the interest deep. This paper went to press early in the day and we can only announce the fact of the meeting. Next week our readers will find in the NEWS a full account of the Convention and its doings.

### Fiscal Court in Special Session.

The Lawrence County Fiscal Court was in session yesterday. The term was called, as was noted in the NEWS some time ago, for the purpose of providing for the immediate repair of the county bridge across Georges creek. Court was in session as this paper went to press. We will give the proceedings next week.

### SPENCER-HAYS.

### Marriage of Dr. L. S. Hays and Miss Bertha Spencer.

These names as you see them united by a hyphen signify another and more significant union. They mean that Miss Bertha Spencer, of Charley, and Dr. Scott Hays, of Adams, this county, are now man and wife.

The young M. D. rode into Louisa on Wednesday last under whip and spur, his horse in a heavy sweat, and the doctor wearing an anxious look. Those who saw him and his haste wondered much, fearing some dread accident had occurred and help was wanted. The first question asked by him, however, put apprehension and wonder at rest: "Where can I find the Rev. Bernard Spencer?" Then his bearers began to think a few thoughts, to put this and that together, and dread gave way to smiles. It is fair to presume that the doctor found the Rev. Spencer or some other minister, for Dr. Scott Hays and Miss Bertha Spencer were married yesterday at the residence of Lewis Spencer the father of the bride.

The NEWS find especial pleasure in noticing this marriage. The young bride is one of this county's most estimable women, possessing all those traits which make and grace a noble womanhood. The groom is one of the best equipped young physicians in the county. He broke many records while a student in Louisville, carrying away high and deserved honors. The NEWS extends to Dr. and Mrs. Hays its hearty congratulations and sincere wishes for continued happiness and prosperity.

### Killed in the Mines.

Ed. Fannin, son of Thomas Fannin, of Chestnut, near Whitehouse, was instantly killed in a coal mine at Red Jacket, W. Va., on Monday last by falling slate.

The body was brought to this place on Tuesday, via the N. & W., and shipped to his former home. He was 18 years old and unmarried.

Mrs. Charles Abbott, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James A. Abbott for several days, returned to Fayetteville, W. Va., on Monday.

### Reports About Our Oil.

Lexington, Ky., June 27.—Except for the drilling in of a "wildcat" well in Eastern Kentucky, the past week in the petroleum fields reveals little of interest. The low price of oil has limited operations to the more productive spots, and there are now many idle rigs, belonging to operators or contractors. As a rule, the smaller producers are not profitable under existing prices, and except on leases where a bunch of light oilers are operated by central power, at a minimum expense, the two and three-barrel wells have been cut out.

The attention of the trade has been directed to the Eastern Kentucky district the past week by reports of a good "wildcat" struck in Lawrence county. For several months Pennsylvania operators have been trying out that district, and last week a good showing of oil is reported at 1,750 feet. There are no producing wells in Kentucky at this depth, and if reports of the new strike be true it will be of much importance to the petroleum industry in that section. A number of operators have gone to the new field to investigate, and if conditions justify many deep test wells will be drilled during the summer. Two new rigs are up this week for test ventures close to the new find. In Eastern Kentucky the only proven field is in Floyd and Knott counties, the old Whitehouse development, along the border of these counties being one of the oldest fields in the State. A superior grade of oil was found several years ago, and until the past two years much activity prevailed.

### New Railroad.

The new railroad from Morehead to Loveland, in Morgan county, is about completed and will be in operation in a few weeks. The new road is known as the Morehead & North Fork line, and will tap some of the richest coal and timber lands in the State. The building of the road was started several years ago, but owing to the roughness of the country and the great amount of money which it would require to complete it the original promoters gave up the idea, and it was only in the last few months that the new company took charge of it and pushed it to completion. Little has been said about the building of the road since the new concern took hold of it, as it was thought it would never be completed.

### The Public Pumps.

If possible the public pumps in this place should be placed in the custody of the city marshal, and the boys and fool men who monkey with them should be treated to a good stiff fine. It is no uncommon thing to see a lot of boys doing their best, apparently, to break the handles off the pumps. They jump on them, jerk them from side to side and do all manner of things to break or put them out of order.

If remonstrated with you are told to go to a land that is hotter than this, or run the risk of having a derrick waiting at you.

If there is no ordinance covering this matter make one, and enforce it.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM MANY STATES

Important News Gathered from Abroad for the Benefit of Our Readers.

Mrs. Hulda Whaley, of Nicholas county, celebrated her one hundredth birthday the past week.

The Standard Oil Company has announced another cut of 5 cents in the price of crude petroleum.

Gov. Willson appointed John P. Haswell, of Breckinridge county, Railroad Commissioner to succeed the late McD. Ferguson.

Two negro convicts escaped from the old cellhouse of the Frankfort penitentiary by removing a stone from a narrow window. One was captured in a wheat field.

A boat containing five Americans and four English tourists and four boatmen was swamped on Lower Killarney Lake in Ireland. All the tourists and two of the boatmen were drowned.

John D. Rockefeler, Jr., and Jas. A. Moffett were elected vice presidents of the Standard Oil Company to succeed W. H. Tildon and H. H. Rogers. W. C. Teagle and H. M. Thifford were elected directors.

Joseph M. Brown, son of "Joe Brown, one of Georgia's wartime Governors, took office as Governor of Georgia amid ceremonies of Jeffersonian simplicity.

A mob of fifty masked men took Sylvester Stearns, a negro known as "Alabama Red," from the jail at Wilburton, Okla., and lynched him. The negro had shot and killed Albert Turner, a deputy constable, who had attempted to arrest him.

Whitesburg, Ky., June 26.—The appeal in the case of Floyd Frazier, who is under a death sentence here for the murder of Mrs. Ellen Flanery at Pert Creek, has been prepared and forwarded to the Court of Appeals. The case has been before the court once before. Frazier was given the death penalty at a recent term of court.

Whitesburg, Ky., June 26.—Hugh Hart, aged 70 years, one of the best known men in the county, died at his home on Colly Creek, five miles from here last night after a few days' illness. His wife, the same age, survives. Mrs. Albert Meade, aged 60 years, of the Upper Rockhouse creek section, died after a brief illness. She was a native of Russell county, Virginia.

Maysville, Ky., June 26.—Mrs. Teitha Parker died last evening at her home near Orangegburg, this county, after a short illness of the infirmities of old age. She had reached her eighty-seventh birthday last Wednesday, and had resided in Mason county all her life. She leaves a husband, eight children, thirty-five grandchildren and thirty-three great-grandchildren. This was the first death in the family after a married life of sixty-five years.

Baltimore, Md., June 24.—The nude body of a well-formed woman weighted with an iron kettle filled with

them John McCoy grabbed him by the coat. The Judge struck at his assailant and received a glancing blow in the face.

Lexington, Ky., June 25.—Chairman Thomas A. Combs has issued a call for a meeting of the permanent headquarters committee of the Democratic State Central Committee, to be held at the Phoenix Hotel in this city next Friday, July 2, at 12 o'clock. The object of the meeting is to choose a secretary and select permanent headquarters for the committee. R. G. Phillips, of Elizabethtown, secretary of the State Central Committee, is the strongest tip for the position of secretary, though there are a number of candidates, and some of the others may land the plum. The committee is composed of State Senator Thomas A. Combs, chairman, of this city; Judge J. A. Sullivan, of Richmond; Woodson May, of Somerset; H. M. Cox, of West Liberty; N. Powell Taylor, of Henderson; and William Adams, of Louisville.

Robert Elmer Eastman, cornered by a posse seeking him on the charge of murdering Mrs. Woodill, drew a revolver and fired a bullet into his heart while standing in the doorway in which he had attempted to escape. Though the police believe Eastman was alone responsible for the crime, the story written in a letter found on his body will be investigated.

Two \$50 gold pieces struck from the United States mint at Philadelphia in 1877 were sold to W. H. Woodill, wealthy collector of New York, for \$10,000 each, the highest price ever paid for an American coin. Both were perfect specimens. Fifty-dollar gold pieces were struck from octagonal private dies during the early mining days of California, but so far as known the two pieces sold are the only ones of this denomination ever coined by the Government.

### Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

The law firm of Sullivan & Stewart will dissolve partnership on July 1, 1909. Parties indebted to the firm will settle with either member of the firm.

June 22, 1909. H. C. Sullivan, F. L. Stewart.

### WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

While disinfecting a room Monday the atomizer used in distributing the formic acid bursted, throwing the contents into James Pendleton's eyes and blinding him for a time. His eyesight will be slightly impaired. He was taken to Huntington Wednesday for treatment by a specialist.

Dover News: "John Worthington caught a turtle in his fish-net Monday morning. On opening it he found evidence of the prolificness of the turtle family. He found within the turtle fifty-four fully developed hard-shelled eggs and over fifty soft-shelled eggs, and myriads of smaller partially developed eggs down to the size of a pin-head. At the present price of hen eggs, an old scratching hen that would size up with the turtle would be worth something now wouldn't she?"

Jackson, Ky., June 24.—John McCoy and Norman McCoy were placed in jail here today on the charge of assaulting with intent to kill County Judge S. S. Taulbee. According to the testimony on the examining trial the McCoys approached Judge Taulbee as he was leaving his lumber plant in South Jackson on the plea of getting some money from him, and upon Taulbee's attempting to walk past

Madison, W. Va., June 26.—Miss Edna Lamont, a pretty girl in her teens, was found dead in a woodland, near her home in this county, today. Though indications point to suicide, the opinion prevails among many of her friends that she was poisoned, possibly by a jealous lover. Her striking beauty and happy disposition won for her many a suitor, and of late rumor had it that she was soon to be married to a popular young man in a near-by village. A Coroner's jury said that poison was the cause of her death. Miss Lamont was the daughter of Clemens Lamont, owner of one of the finest stock farms in the county.

The Mingo county saloonists are again on the griddle. When the County Court met the early part of this month as a license body they refused to grant license to the Williamson applicants because all the provisions of the law had not been complied with, and when these conditions precedent had been complied with the County Court had adjourned until July 5 and refused to convene again to consider the matter. As the licenses expire June 30 there will be a drought in Williamson for at least five days.

Clarksburg, W. Va., June 26.—Judge Raymond Maxwell, of the criminal court, this morning sentenced Fred B. Wood, former Cashier of the West Virginia Bank, to serve six years in the state penitentiary at Moundsville. The sentence was pronounced after overruling a motion to set aside the verdict and grant a new trial. Wood was convicted of falsifying the books of the bank. In passing sentence Judge Maxwell said: "I do not know of a more painful duty a judge could be called upon to discharge than to pronounce the judgment of the law upon a conviction for a felony against a friend, his neighbor, his one-time school companion, roommate and bedfellow."

## You Gain

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A Column Dedicated To Tired Mothers  
As They Join The Home Circle  
At Evening Tide

Take your joy with you or you'll not find it even in heaven

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If your wife is the best woman in the world, tell her so, it will keep her young and lengthen her life

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A home where happiness reigns is a wealth never to be equaled than the great riches of a virtue. Virtue is not essential to happiness, but the most happy and contented homes are those in which poverty is associated. And yet 'tis sad that so long heres where everything that is needed, or can be purchased with money, seems plentiful, should be filled with discord and unpleasantness, its inmates going abroad to seek pleasure, where they are surrounded by numberless evils and temptations.

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Time has scattered the snowy flakes on her brow, plowed furrows in her cheeks—but is she not sweet and beautiful now? The lips which have kissed many hot tears from the childish cheeks are the sweetest lips in all the world. The eye is dim, yet it glows with the rapt radiance of a holy love which can never fade. Oh yes, she is a dear old mother. Her feeble as she is she will go farther and reach down lower for you than will any other on earth. You cannot walk into midnight where she can't see you; you cannot enter a prison whose bars shall keep her out, you cannot mount a scaffold too high for her to reach and bless you. In evidence of her deathless love when the world shall despise and forsake you—when it leaves you at the wayside to die unnoticed—the dear old mother will gather you up in her feeble arms, carry you home and tell you of your virtues until you almost forget that your soul is disfigured by vices. Love her tenderly and in her declining years with holy devotion.

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Is it worth while, because you feel out of sorts, to pull a long face to be disagreeable and cross to everyone you meet and so make them unhappy? A cheerful smile, a kind word will not only make your friends and neighbors lighter hearted, but will help to cheer you also. A cheerful countenance is a duty we owe to our neighbors and how much more is it necessary in the home. Our friends can get out of our way if we are not good companions, but our family cannot. They are helpless victims, shut up in the same house with us. For the sake of the children, for the sake of the elders, for the sake of all

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The home is for happiness. What ever brings the highest happiness is right and best. Take a broom and sweep your floor, but before you put down on your hands and knees to scrub think a minute. Is it the floor or the children that need you most? Is it best to make a scrubbing brush of yourself with a scourer for the dirty boots when husband and children come in, or is it best to be the loving wife and mother, to take your scrubbing time for reading time and have a cheery welcome and helpful thoughts for your own when they come to you? I know there are some big-boned women who can scrub all day without feeling exhausted, but for one of these are a hundred frail, delicate women, who are so constantly and unutterably weary that they know nothing of the joy of living. The woman is the heart of the home. If she is cross, miserable and dissatisfied, there will be little life and true happiness within. Let her do her part, but let her refuse to labor beyond her strength. A wise, tender mother is of more importance than anything else in the world to young children. Let every mother train herself to a wise neglect of unimportant things that she may be to her own the embodiment of sympathy, hope, gentleness, charity, wisdom and love.

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humanity, let us cultivate a pleasant smile, a hearty laugh, and a habit of cheerfulness.

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INFLUENCE.

Influence is a power we exert over others by our thought, words and actions. We all of us at times lose sight of this principle, and apparently act on the assumption that what we do or think or say can affect no one but ourselves. But we are connected with the immortal beings around us that we cannot avoid exerting a most important influence over their character and final conditions.

Since we all have a personal influence and our words and actions leave a well-nigh indelible trace, it is our duty to make that influence as potent for good as possible.

In order to do this you must show yourself a woman among all. How great a beauty and blessing it is to hold the royal gifts of the soul, so that they shall be music to some and fragrance to others and life to all. Some women cling to their homes like the honeysuckle over the door, yet, like it, sweeten all the region with the subtle fragrance of their goodness.

Oh, it is terrible the power that we have over the power of influence. No thought to us is more agreeable than a solemn grandeur of intellect than that which owing to the influence we are steadily exerting upon our fellow creature. We read that not in the earthquake that shook the mountain pillars, nor in the whirlwind that rent the forest was God heard, but in the still, small voice which like the whisper of love breathes into the heart what the loud voice cannot.

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To make home more agreeable and attractive than other places to its inmates requires the utmost care and thoughtfulness on our part in regard to the welfare of others, which we must practice daily, and as there is pleasure derived from doing one's duty, we render our own parts more pleasant through life by assisting in smoothing the rough ones of others.

In the home should be found the most influential lessons in the great school of life. These lessons should partake of perfect honesty, truthfulness, manhood, heroism, patriotism and all things that tend to elevate the human character.

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Do not forget and abandon all neighborly courtesy and pleasant intercourse with friends. Man is a social animal, especially woman. A woman needs friends, companions, conversation, sympathy and neighborly visitings to and fro. All work and no play makes a dull woman. Let her visit her friends, and receive them in her home, that her heart may be lightened and brightened by an interchange of thoughts and feelings.

Be neighborly, be obliging, be kind and courteous, and then when sorrow and sickness come you will have sympathy and help.

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The home is for happiness. What ever brings the highest happiness is right and best. Take a broom and sweep your floor, but before you put down on your hands and knees to scrub think a minute. Is it the floor or the children that need you most?

Is it best to make a scrubbing brush of yourself with a scourer for the dirty boots when husband and children come in, or is it best to be the loving wife and mother, to take your scrubbing time for reading time and have a cheery welcome and helpful thoughts for your own when they come to you? I know there are some big-boned women who can scrub all day without feeling exhausted, but for one of these are a hundred frail, delicate women, who are so constantly and unutterably weary that they know nothing of the joy of living.

The woman is the heart of the home. If she is cross, miserable and dissatisfied, there will be little life and true happiness within.

Let her do her part, but let her refuse to labor beyond her strength. A wise, tender mother is of more importance than anything else in the world to young children. Let every mother train herself to a wise neglect of unimportant things that she may be to her own the embodiment of sympathy, hope, gentleness, charity, wisdom and love.

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## County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

### Osie.

James Kelly, who is 80 years old, fell into a ditch on last Thursday, and was so disabled that he could not get out, and remained in it till Saturday. He was near the home of Felix Jobe and was unconscious when found by Dan Elswick.

Farmers are now going over their corn crops the last time, and prospects for an abundant crop are fine.

E. W. Jobe had eighteen acres in wheat, and it is estimated that it will thresh over two hundred bushels.

Our Board of Education met at Marvin Saturday and employed the following twelve teachers: Springdale, Othie Berry; Dry Ridge, Cynthia Webb; Daniels Creek, Maud Dean; Oak Hill, Sherman Evans; Shady Grove, T. S. Jobe; Lower Twins, Hannah Webb; Midway, Jay Compton; Polly's Chapel, Sadie Crank; Olliville, Hattie Webb; Gatt, J. M. Dalton; Compton's, Jas. Casey, and Cherokee, Mollie Webb.

John Hughes has purchased a fine buggy.

Mrs. Lydia Brown, of Hill, W. Va., is visiting here with relatives and friends.

The sick of our community are improving. Among them are Sam Rose, B. F. Carter and Mrs. Elizabeth Jobe.

John B. Diamond, of the Valley, is among us often of late. A certain young lady will soon be subscribing herself Mrs. J. B. D.

Chas. Shannon and Thos. Hayes fought a pitched battle one day last week at the sawmill on Daniel's creek. They were separated before either was seriously hurt.

Mrs. Carrie Jobe, of Daniel's creek, was visiting C. Jobe last Sunday.

Uncle John Berry, who has been down so long, is able to be among us again.

George Woods, Chas. Jordan and Chas. Derefeld have returned home from Mahan.

T. S. J.

**PRESIDENT HELPS ORPHANS.**  
Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the President of The Industrial and Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga., who writes: "We have used Electric Bitters in this Institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth." It invigorates the vital organs, purifies the blood, aids digestion, creates appetite. To strengthen and build up thin, weak children or run-down people it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50¢ at A. M. Hughes, Louisa.

### Meads Branch.

Mrs. Margaret Judd is very sick at this writing.

Milton Johnson, who has been visiting home folks and friends at this place, has returned to Indiana.

Several of the young folks of this place will attend the Sunday School Convention at Charley Sunday, the 27th.

There will be service one Little Blaine next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Wells, the photographer, was taking pictures at Charles Meads' last Sunday.

Montie Johnson has returned to Red Jacket, after a week's visit with home folks.

Wesley Judd and family are visiting home folks at this place.

Rev. M. P. Hickman and nephew, Ambrose Castle, had a fight last Sunday, but no one was hurt.

Mrs. John McGranahan and Miss Bird Finney, of Peach Orchard, were visiting friends and relatives here.

Roy Judd, of Charley, was on our creek Sunday.

Several of our young folks attended church at Blaine Sunday.

Sunny South.

When searching for something good to eat go to S. W. Bartram's store, at Sam Picklesimer's old stand. He has choice groceries, fruits and vegetables.

### DOCTORS

say consumption can be cured. Nature alone won't do it, it needs help.

### SCOTT'S EMULSION

is the best help, but its use must be continued in summer as well as winter.

Take it in a little cold milk or water.

Get a small bottle now.

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THE STANDARD OF THE WORLD

### Mattie.

Crops in this neighborhood are looking the best for many years.

The scourge of sickness still hovers over the door of Wm. (Bug) Moore. His wife, Belle, who has been ill for many months, is not better.

Bro. Conley, the enthusiastic Paintsville revivalist, has organized a Free-will Baptist Church at this place. The organization was made on last Sunday. All officers were elected, and if we judge by their efficiency in past work of this kind, it will not doubt be one of the most successful churches in our village.

Misses Eva and Alma Griffith, of Charley, were visiting Mrs. F. M. Berry a few days ago.

Mrs. Jas. McComas and son, Leonard, are visiting relatives here.

The Misses Grace and Hattie Moore attended church at this place Sunday.

Bro. French Rice, our aged pastor, preached a very eloquent and instructive sermon here Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Berry, Fanny Jordan and W. M. Johnson visited Mrs. D. B. Johnson Sunday.

Rev. J. S. Thompson attended church here Sunday.

The funeral of Mrs. Fanny Ball will be preached at her old home the last Sunday in August.

The many relatives and friends of Miss Lizzie Thompson are surely grieved over her serious illness. It is expected that the Angel of Relief will take her from her sufferings ere the dawn of another Sabbath.

J. T. Swetnam was a visitor at the home of D. M. Justice recently.

A. M. Hayes, the noted pedestrian, carried the mail from here to Adams and return Saturday on foot.

Herbert H. Moore, one of our most promising young men, has returned from Blaine, where he desired to take the examination for State certificate, but was prevented on account of his age.

There was organized at this place Saturday a ball team made up of the best baseball talent in our county. They have fine, graded diamond and have begun to get ready for their many engagements. Any team desiring to meet them will address J. M. Moore, Sec.

### Brown Eyes.

#### DON'T GET A DIVORCE.

A western judge granted a divorce on account of ill-temper and bad breath. Dr. King's New Life Pills would have prevented it. They cure Constipation, causing bad breath and Liver Trouble, the ill-temper, dispels colds, banishes headaches, conquers chills. 25¢ at A. M. Hughes, Louisa.

### East Point.

Miss Eulah Fitzpatrick is home on a vacation from Ashland, where she has been attending school and staying with her sister, Mrs. James McGuire.

Miss Lora Ramey is home on her vacation from Pikeville, where she has been attending school.

Mrs. Everett Price, who has been sick for several weeks, is improving nicely.

J. C. B. Auxier was transacting business in Paintsville last Thursday.

Miss Hester Ward, of Paintsville, was the guest of Eulah Fitzpatrick last week.

Mrs. Sam Rice, who has been sick for some time, is improving.

Among the travelling salesmen calling on our merchants here this week were Wm. Remmle, Kadokah Hatten and C. E. Hensley.

Miss Charlotte Schroeder, of Ashland, who has been the guest of Miss Eulah Fitzpatrick the past two weeks, returned home last Wednesday.

Miss Gertrude Kelley, of this place, has been visiting friends at Harold the past week.

Miss Fannie Auxier, of Paintsville, is visiting relatives here this week.

Blue Belle.

### McCloud, W. Wa.

George Browning and George McCloud were business callers at Shively Thursday.

Miss May Lowe visited Miss Bell Browning Monday.

Miss Lora Hager visited friends at this place Sunday.

Miles Browning was a visitor at Halcyon last week.

Leander McCloud has erected a new dwelling in the place where he was recently burned out.

Rev. Hall preached to a large and attentive congregation at the home of Mrs. Barker Sunday.

Boyd Lowe went to Dingess Tuesday.

Miles and Garfield McCloud, who have been working at Ethel for some time, have returned home.

Alva Browning and sister, Miss Belle, visited friends at Hanover Sunday.

C. H. McCloud, of Shively, visited relatives at this place the past week.

### Lick Creek.

Drew Wellman is no better.

Miss Jennie and Stella Wellman and Nerva See, of Three Mile, were visiting Miss Mary Ellen See Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Castle were visiting their daughter, Vada Cochran, Sunday.

Mrs. Bozler Carey has the Upper Lick Creek school.

Quincy Childers and wife were visiting his brother, Albert Childers, near Gallup Sunday.

Alfred Rice was our creek Sunday.

John Wilson is visiting his mother at Ashland this week.

Aden See was visiting relatives on Green Branch Sunday.

Mrs. Mandy See, of this place, is visiting her daughter, Nannie Diamond, on Morgan's Creek, this week.

### Three Chunks.

### Evergreen.

Milt Pigg, Andy Cheek and Charley Borders passed up Little Blaine Sunday.

Lizzie Thompson, who has been ill for some time, is no better.

Mrs. Frances McComas, son and daughter are visiting relatives here.

Several of the folks of Busseyville attended Sunday School at this place Sunday.

Charley Carter has joined the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Hutchinson attended the Sunday School Convention at Charley Sunday.

John Moore was visiting J. L. Hays and family recently.

Rev. Rice preached a very interesting sermon here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hudson have gone to Ashland to live.

Chris Thompson has purchased an organ.

John Hayes made a trip to Louisa last week.

John Thompson and daughter, of Louisa, were visiting friends at Busseyville Saturday.

Georgia and Ella Hutchinson and Little Bradley were visiting Mrs. Eddie Hutchinson recently.

Bereca Wheeler, of Washington, D. C., was visiting relatives here recently.

There will be a Children's Day service at Evergreen the first Sunday night, July 4. Guess Who?

### Celebration at Cliffside July 5th.

Fourth of July will be celebrated as never before at the most picturesque spot in the Blue Grass State—Cliffside, "The Park Beautiful" near Ashland.

As the Fourth of July this season falls on Sunday, the management has decided to hold the gigantic celebration on Monday, the Fifth, opening with the booming of cannon at sunrise and closing at night with a gorgeous pyrotechnic display; also a special arranged program of patriotic selections by the celebrated Crawford Military Band.

Among the many new sensational and interesting features of the park is the large coaster ride "Leap the Dips," where you start from terra firma and you dart almost instantaneously into the azure sky—you make the trip so hurriedly that you all but lose your breath—but you soon regain it when you return safe and sound to the point from which you start. This trip no one wants to miss, for it is on this route that you visit every clime known.

"The Third Degree" with its mystic winding passages, the bridge of fate, the king's throne and many other pleasant surprises, makes this trip one of joy and laughter never to be forgotten.

The Japanese Village and Tea Garden, with many little Japs in native costumes, serving tea and rice cakes to their patrons and playing their favorite game "Rolly Poly."

Then there is the everlasting pleasure device, "The Merry Go Round," the photo post card gallery, the shooting gallery, the new dance floor and fine metropolitan orchestra of eight pieces, boating, &c.

The grand fireworks display will be the most gorgeous pyrotechnic exhibit ever given in this section, far surpassing the grand display given by the Shrine at the park during this season's conclave.

Special attention will be given to all basket picnic parties that wish to bring their own eatables. A very

high class restaurant is upon the grounds where one can satisfy the inner man at a very reasonable figure. Everything will be arranged to make the day one of enjoyment for all.

Shaky.

The iron bridge across Georges creek near the mouth is said to be threatened with ruin. One or both of the piers will have to be repaired, and to adopt ways and means for this repair is the object of the special term of the Fiscal Court mentioned elsewhere in this paper.

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**DEMOCRATIC TICKET.**

For Circuit Judge—J. B. HANNAH.

For Commonwealth's Atty—JOHN M. WAUGH.

County Judge—W. M. Justice.

County Attorney—J. W. Hinkle.

County Clerk—Add Skeens.

Circuit Clerk—H. B. Hulette.

Sheriff—Milt Evans.

Supt. of Schools—Jay O'Daniel.

Jailer—Al Hays.

Assessor—Chas. W. Cooper.

Surveyor—H. B. Highberger.

Coroner—Pharaoh Marcus.

Haunted by a baseless fear that he was about to lose his position in the Pension Bureau Colonel Everett T. Getchell tied a heavy stone around his neck and drowned himself in the Potomac river at a point opposite the White House. Getchell was 75 years old.

Gov. Willson in his campaign said that if he was elected he would owe it to Democratic support. If that was so, it is a debt that he has never recognized since he was elected and never in any way attempted to pay. For, of all the partisan Republican Governors in this country, Augustus E. Willson, of the State of Kentucky, stands at the head of the class.—Elizabethtown Nev.

A traveler from Williamson reports that one night a week or so ago, while sitting on the sidewalk waiting for a train, a broad belt of light appeared in the sky. It seemed to be about three feet wide, extending from one side of the horizon to the other. While it lasted the light was so bright he could distinctly see the people in the street.

**Pleasant Ridge.**

Bro. Holbrook, from up Tug, visited our Sunday School Sunday and gave us a good talk on Intemperance.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus, of W. Va., passed through here Tuesday, en route to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Jobe, at Twin Branch.

R. B. Hutchison and John Nelson attended church at Twin Branch last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. May visited their son, Sam May, Sunday.

B. F. Diamond, of Morgan, was here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Collinsworth were the guests of A. D. Bradley and wife at Smoky Valley Sunday.

Wallace Johns, of Louisa, visited his cousin, M. H. Johns, recently. Mrs. Ed Chaffin and Miss Bessie Diamond, of Deephole, were guests of Laura Chaffin, at Twin Branch, Tuesday night.

Hilbert and Tom Clarkson, Vanton Wellman and George Bradley passed through here Sunday en route to parts unknown.

Harry McDowell, of Louisa, was visiting relatives and friends here Saturday.

Robert Roberts, of Smoky Valley, passed through here Tuesday.

M. L. Johns and wife, of this place, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Ball Sunday.

Briso Roberts, of Deephole, was here Monday. Nobody's Darling.

**Commissioner's Sale.**

Spencer Sweeney, Plff.

vs.  
Rebecca Hays, etc., Dfts.

Pursuant to a judgment of the Lawrence Circuit Court, rendered at its April term, 1909, the undersigned will, on Monday, July 19, 1909, being County Court day, offer for sale at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Ky., to the highest and best bidder, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay plaintiff in above cause amount of debt, interest and costs of said action, to wit, the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) with interest at the rate of 6 per cent from September 14, 1905, subject to a credit of \$33.00 of date January 12, 1906; also the further sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) with like interest from September 14, 1906, until paid. Said land is described as follows:

Tract of land in Lawrence county, Ky., and containing about three acres, beginning on a stone at the county road, thence running up the hill with fence 8 poles to a post, thence an east course with fence to a post, thence a south course with fence to the county road, crossing the county road to a stone 60 feet down the hill a south course, thence 100 feet west, thence 60 feet up the hill to the county road, thence a west course with fence to the beginning.

Terms: Said property will be sold on a credit of nine months, purchaser to execute bond with approved security payable to the Commissioner, and with a lien retained on the property so sold until the whole of the purchase price is paid.

F. L. Stewart, M. C. L. C. C.

**Commissioner's Sale.**

Gaar Scott & Co., Plff.

Against  
H. W. Lieder, etc., Dfts.

Pursuant to a judgment of the Lawrence Circuit Court rendered at its January term, 1909, the undersigned will, on Monday, July 19, 1909, being County Court day, at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Ky., between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 P. M., offer for sale to the highest and best bidder the following described property, or so much as may be necessary to satisfy debt, interest and cost due plaintiff in above entitled action, to wit: the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) with interest from August, 1907, until paid and costs of said action; said property so offered for sale is described as follows:

One thirty-five (35) horse power boiler and engine on wheels, made by Gaar Scott & Co., now situated near Merida Sparks' home place, Lawrence county, Ky.

Terms: Sale will be made on a credit of six and twelve months, purchaser to execute bond with approved security payable to the Commissioner.

F. L. Stewart, M. C. L. C. C.

**Sheriff's Sale.**

I, or one of my deputies, will on Monday, July 19, 1909, that being regular County Court day, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 1 o'clock p. m., at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Ky., the following described real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy an execution in my hands in favor of F. L. Stewart, Master Commissioner of the Lawrence Circuit Court, against H. C. Sullivan, A. J. Webb and W. V. Roberts for the sum of \$702.50, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 15th day of June, 1908, until paid and the costs of this sale.

A certain house and lot in Louisa, Ky., located on Lock avenue and what is known as the old Jno. J. Jordan homestead.

Terms of sale: Cash in hand. This June 30, 1909.

R. A. STONE, Sheriff.

**Notice of Commissioner's Sitting.**

Mary A. Wood, Plff.

vs.  
Louisa Coal Company, Dft.

Pursuant to an order of the Lawrence Circuit Court entered at its April term, 1909, the undersigned will, on Wednesday, July 21, 1909, begin sittings in the above entitled cause for the purpose of taking proof and making settlement between the parties, and will continue sittings from day to day and time to time until completed.

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\$2.50 " " " .....	1.75	3c Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers .....	12.50
\$2.00 " " " .....	1.50	5c Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers .....	7.50
\$1.50 " " " .....	1.15	7c Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers .....	7.50
\$1.00 " " " .....	.75	\$1.50 White Muslin Underskirts .....	4.00
75c " " " .....	.45	\$1.00 White Muslin Underskirts .....	3.75
50c Men's Caps, all kinds, .....	.45	.75c White Muslin Underskirts .....	2.00
50c Men's Underwear, any kind .....	.45	50c White Muslin Underskirts .....	1.00
\$1.00 Men's Shirts .....	.75	\$1.98 Colored Underskirts .....	1.25
75c Men's Shirts .....	.50	\$2.25 Colored Underskirts .....	1.00
\$1.00 and 75c Men's Linen Shirts, job, .....	.25	\$1.50 Ladies' Fancy Waists .....	1.19
15c Men's Best Linen Collars, 6 for .....	.25	\$1.25 Ladies' Fancy Waists .....	.98
25c Men's Linen Cuffs .....	.10	16 Slightly Soiled Waists worth \$1.25 and \$2.00, close out price .....	.60
50c Men's Fine Suspenders .....	.25-35	\$5.50 Silk Waist Patterns .....	\$3.83
One Odd Lot Men's Pants, size 38, worth \$2.00; our close out price .....	.75	\$5.00 Silk Waist Patterns .....	3.25
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10c Shirtings .....	8c		
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## Big Sandy News

FRIDAY, July 2, 1909.



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The 18-months-old child of Morton  
Hammond died of cholera infantum  
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Crumpler's ice wagons will deliver  
you at any time you want it. To  
phone the Coca-Cola Company.

The Louisa Bakery is turning out  
the grade of everything in its  
kitchen and the people are well pleased with  
the goods.

The legal sale of intoxicants in  
Ashland was ended at eleven o'clock  
last Wednesday night. About  
twenty-seven saloons went out of  
commission.

Among those from this place who  
attended the Elk meeting at Catletts-  
burg on last Friday were R. L. Vin-  
son, D. J. Burchett, Jr., Dr. L. D.  
Jones, Arch McClure and Bert Shan-  
non.

A welcome is extended to the large  
number of delegates who are in  
Louisa from all parts of the county  
to attend the Sunday School Conven-  
tion. They are working in a great  
cause.

Mr. Faulkner, a Berea teacher,  
spoke in the court house in the after-  
noon and evening of Monday last to  
very diminutive audiences on both  
occasions. He is one of the speak-  
ers in the second Whirlwind Educa-  
tional Campaign.

The John Holland Gold Pen Com-  
pany puts the best value into its  
pens of any manufacturers in the  
country. They make all kinds of  
mountain pens and ink pencils. A  
fine line of all kinds and prices are  
put in at Conley's store.

Ed S. Hughes, of Catlettsburg, has  
announced as a candidate for the  
office of County Clerk of Boyd coun-  
ty, subject to the action of the Re-  
publican primary election.

Mr. Hughes is a brother of Post-  
master Hughes, of this city.

Rans Chaffin and family have re-  
turned to Louisa from Catlettsburg  
and will again take residence here.  
They will occupy the Dr. Burton  
house on lower Main Cross street un-  
til January 1st when they will take  
possession of their property on Lock  
avenue.

The next meeting of the recently  
organized Eastern Kentucky Dental  
Association will be held at the Y. M.  
C. A. building in Ashland on next  
Saturday, July 3, beginning at 1  
o'clock. Dr. E. C. Jenkins of this  
city, is on the program for a paper.

A movement is on foot to move  
the Home for Aged Masons from  
Shelbyville to Elizabethtown. The  
home is maintained by the Masons of  
Kentucky, and has several hundred  
inmates. The Board of Directors has  
been called to meet Thursday, July 1,  
when the place will be decided upon.  
Wherever the home is located a  
building at a cost of \$25,000 will be  
erected.

Mr. Frank Yates, of Oakview, re-  
turned yesterday on O. & B. S. train  
with his bride, who was formerly  
Miss Sallie Lemaster, of Lawrence  
county. The couple were married  
last Tuesday. The groom is an old  
employee at the saw mill, and well  
known here. They expect to make  
their future home at Oakview.—Com-  
mercial.

## Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heart-  
felt thanks to the good people of  
Kenova who so kindly assisted us  
during the illness and death of our  
little darling Earl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hughes,

## Worthy of Imitation.

The authorities of Boyd county are  
going to drop the name "Poor House"  
and call the infirmary the Boyd  
County Home.

The committee will not hereafter  
hire out to the lowest bidder, as  
heretofore done, the keeping of the  
future inmates, but will employ a  
competent superintendent, who will  
treat and care for all who live at the  
home in a kind, humane manner.

## Fort Gay Items.

(Fort Gay Leader.)  
Arthur Hardwick is on the sick  
list this week.

Sam Welch took four cross-tie rafts  
to Ironton Saturday with his boat,  
the Gilbert Lee.

It is with some feeling of regret  
that we make the announcement that  
THIS is the last issue of the Fort  
Gay Leader. The plant will be at  
once moved to the growing town of  
Kenova, where we will begin the pub-  
lication of the Tri-State Enterprise.

A very bad accident occurred at the  
home of Mr. Jack Caniffe, near Sidney  
postoffice, on Saturday evening,  
June 19. The 15-year-old son, Eddie,  
while out hunting accidentally shot  
and killed himself instantly. The entire  
community sympathizes with the  
heart broken father and mother.

The council met last Saturday night  
for the express purpose of ousting  
John Varhouse from the Marshal-  
ship of the town, and Jasper was in  
the middle but wouldn't stand worth  
a cent. The council voted unanimous  
for Jasper to quit, but he couldn't  
see it that way and is still wearing  
the insignia of his office, and the  
council looks glum.

After July 1 the Rural Mail Route  
goes into effect with headquarters at  
Whites Creek. This route is via  
Whites Creek, Centerville, Pharaoh  
to Prichard, W. Va. People living on  
this route will have other mail ad-  
dressed Whites Creek, R. F. D. No. 1,  
box numbers, etc. Postoffices along  
this line will be abolished after July  
1, and new mail carriers put on.  
Uncle Wm. Larce who has so faith-  
fully served the people and Uncle  
Sam for the last 16 years as mail  
carrier, was underbid on the rural  
route and his term of office will soon  
expire.

## Three Mile, Greenup County.

Died, on the 22nd, Bud Jordan, of  
consumption. He leaves a wife and  
one child to mourn their loss.

Death came on the 24th and took  
from Mr. and Mrs. John Nickels their  
months-old baby. It was laid to  
rest in the Plum Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Emma Wheeler is slowly im-  
proving.

D. L. Thompson and G. C. Miles  
went to Greenup Saturday.

Miss Dolly Callahan visited Emma  
Wheeler this week.

John Adkins is having lots of bee  
swarms and honey.

Charley Bishop and Dave Thompson  
cut a bee tree that had 6½ feet of  
honey in it.

John Adkins was visiting James  
Young Sunday.

Mark Adkins has in a fine tobacco  
crop this year.

Mrs. Ruby Thompson was visiting  
Mrs. Dossie Dysard at Greenup Sat-  
urday.

Children's Day at Plum Grove is  
postponed till the second Sunday in  
July on account of the 4th.

Miss Nettie Buckhart visited Miss  
Marie Litterell Sunday.

Rufus Young is going to West Vir-  
ginia to locate soon.

Lizzy Hutchison is working for Liss  
Young this summer.

Miss Meek has returned from Ash-  
land.

## Two Girls.

Engineer Ezekiel Halcom Killed.

Sacred Wind, Ky.  
The many friends of Ezekiel Hal-  
com at this place were sorry to hear  
of his death which occurred at Ev-  
erett, Wash. He was engineer on a  
train and was killed while on duty.  
He leaves a wife and one child to  
mourn their loss. His wife was a  
daughter of N. O. Gambill, of this  
place. She has the sympathy of all  
here.

Uncle David Sturgill returned home  
recently after being in Elliott coun-  
try for a few days.

W. S. Boggs, our hustling mer-  
chant, made a business trip to Webb-  
erville recently.

Lewis Lyon, of Sarah, is spending  
a few days with his granddaughter  
this week.

Blaine Morris was the guest of  
G. W. Sturgill and family Saturday  
and Sunday.

Gladys, the infant child of Mrs.  
Bess Salyer, has been quite sick.

Miss Maud Ison was visiting on  
Little Flock Sunday.

Miss Mollie Griffith spent Tuesday  
with Mrs. Bess Salyer.

Miss Erma Sturgill is on the sick  
list.

## Don't Forget It.

Lay aside all work and all care  
and come to Louisa Saturday. It's the  
glorious Fourth, and you ought to  
celebrate it. Don't come alone. Bring  
your wife, and your mother, and your  
sister, or some other fellow's sister,  
and come and spend the day. You will be  
entered for tomorrow's race,  
and are sure to have a good time.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Frank H. Yates spent Wednesday  
in Catlettsburg.

Augustus Snyder was a visitor in  
Catlettsburg last week.

James Evans, of Prosperity, was  
in this city last week.

Arthur Preston, of Graves Shoals,  
was in Louisa on Tuesday.

Dr. M. G. Watson, of Huntington,  
was in Louisa this week.

M. C. Feeley, of Pikeville, noted as  
a driller of oil wells, was here last  
week.

Mr. James Elliott, of Cliffwood-the  
guest of Dr. and Mrs. Wren on  
Saturday.

Mrs. L. T. McClure and George  
William, of Delaware, O., are at the  
Brunswick.

Mrs. James Skene and Miss Ellen  
Skene were visiting friends in Iron-  
ton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Huff, of Lou-  
isa, are guests of relatives in the  
city.—Independent.

Mrs. Corns and Mr. Walter Corns,  
of Ironton, were guests of Mrs. J. Q.  
Lackey last week.

Fred S. McConnell, of the Louis-  
ville Coal Co., was transacting busi-  
ness in Louisa on Wednesday.

The Rev. L. M. Coplow attended the  
General Association of Kentucky Baptists  
in Ashland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Salyer and little  
daughter, of Catlettsburg, visited  
Louisa relatives on Tuesday.

The Dimicks, father and son, oil  
men of Big Sandy, were here last  
week looking over the territory.

Mrs. Julia Fry Kerr, of Hunting-  
ton, was here on Monday last, the  
guest of Mrs. H. G. Welman.

Dr. Rice, of Fairlawn, was in this  
city on last Monday, remaining to  
attend Apperson Lodge Monday night.

Mrs. Fred McHenry, of Central City,  
who had been visiting relatives here  
for several weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. J. H. Picklesimer, of Franklin  
Furnace, Ohio, has returned home  
after a visit to relatives in this vic-  
inity.

Rev. F. E. Shannon, of Brooklyn,  
will be at Louisa soon to spend a  
portion of his summer vacation with  
relatives.

Mrs. Jennie Beaire, of Fort Gay,  
was in Louisa on Wednesday, attend-  
ing the funeral of the infant son  
of Mr. and Mrs. John Burns.

Ed Spencer, of Louisa, who was  
formerly located in this city, return-  
ed home today, after being initiated  
into the Elk lodge.—Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Fitzwater, who  
were sojourning in Louisa a few  
days, have gone to the mountains of  
West Virginia to remain until cooler  
weather.

Mrs. Walter Harkins, Misses Mary  
and Josephine Harkins and Mrs. Oslo  
Ligon, all of Prestonsburg, attended  
the funeral of the child of Mr. and  
Mrs. J. G. Burns.

Albert M. Campbell, who has  
charge of the Government work on  
the Big Sandy river, was in this city  
yesterday from Louisa, looking after  
business interests.—Tribune.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that I have  
disposed of my interest in The Lou-  
isa Coffin Company, and no longer  
have any connection with it.

B. J. Chaffin.

## Arrested at Catlettsburg.

Levi Allen, a negro who killed his  
wife in a fit of jealousy last Friday  
night at Kermit, W. Va., was arrested  
in Catlettsburg Monday night and  
placed in jail to await the action of  
the West Virginia officials.

Unexpected Speed.

Uncle Josh's gray mare became  
tired of the plow and the heat and  
the flies one day last week and made  
a break for liberty. Josh had left  
her in the furrow while he took a  
drink (of water) and the moment  
his back was turned out of the field  
the mare started at the top of her  
speed. As she went out of the gate  
she left the plow and the single-tree,  
and with chains rattling the critter  
made for town. She touched only the  
high places, and every time the gears  
hit her she took a kick at the sun.  
On she sped, safely turning corners  
and missing babies, finally fetching  
up at Dave Ward's. Here she sud-  
denly came to anchor, drew a deep  
breath and stood sedately still. She  
will be entered for tomorrow's race,  
with none to bet against her.

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Kentucky.

## Lick Creek.

Mex Carey, of Louisa, were here Sat-  
urday.

Alfred Rice, of Ashland, spent Sun-  
day with his cousin at this place.

Auby Chapman has returned home  
from Columbus.

Little Marie and Roland Wilson, of  
Ashland, are visiting their brother,  
Mr. Frank Wilson, of Whistling Coo-

## For Sale.

I have for sale 747 acres of coal,  
ore and all other minerals to lease  
or sell. This mineral is on Tug fork  
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iams, and known as the Frank  
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## All Wash and Lingerie Dresses,

## FARM NEWS.

**NEW USE FOR CORNSTALKS.**  
Prof. B. T. Galloway, of the Agricultural Department at Washington, who has been experimenting with cornstalks as a material for making paper, announces that great progress has been achieved along this line. While he does not say that the experiments so far prove that the thing is actually accomplished and is a commercial success, he is very hopeful that it will work out satisfactorily.

The paper workers are greatly interested in the experiments because, if it turns out that this great product of the farm can be turned into good paper it will have a marked effect on the paper-making industry.

Cornstalks are about the cheapest product grown on the farm, and while not entirely useless as stock food, millions of acres are allowed to go entirely to waste every year.

Paper-making wood is becoming somewhat scarce, although there is no such famine in the northern woods as some alarmists would have us believe. If, however, the Government succeeds in making good paper out of cornstalks, the wood will last longer and the price of paper will not be advanced to a point where its use would necessarily be restricted.

The Government has done many great things for the benefit of the farmers, but if the cornstalk experiments prove successful this achievement will rank among the most beneficial.

It will be a great day when the farmer can read the news printed on paper made from the cornstalks grown in his own field.

**JUNE WORKING NOTES.**  
Notice little white spots on the pear leaves? This is leaf blight. Bordeaux sprayed about three weeks after the blossoms fall and twice more at intervals of about two weeks will prevent it.

The leaf-eating insects are busy in the orchard now. Give them paroxysm.

The June heat is the most enervating of the season. Go slow with the horses and take it easy yourself till hardened to the work.

Now the sprouts on the trees are sprouting vigorously. Better rub them off now than cut them later.

When you plant canteloupes sow radish or turnip seed in the hill. These will come up first and keep the bugs busy till the vines get a start.

Don't neglect to plant sweet corn at least three times—six is better.

Now is a good time to give the poultry houses a thorough cleaning—not a partial one—and whitewash. Mites thrive in hot weather.

Remember that flies breed in filth and dust and carry more disease than rats. Clean up every breeding place and screen them out of the house and dairy.

It is a mistake to let bee hives stand in the hot sun. Place them under a sheltering tree or vine with a good circulation of air.

If you do not have a hive ready the bees will surprise you by swarming when you are the busiest and you may lose them.

If you have no range for the poultry you must give them green stuff all summer. Sharp grit, too—not sand.

Better burn all the old berry crates. Fruit in nice, clean boxes will bring a price enough better to pay for the loss of the old crates.

If the cabbage root maggot is at work fit a piece of tanned paper close about the base of the plants. It will help.



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If you grow late maturing crops in the peach orchard they will keep the wood growing too late to make them wood growing too late to make them this month.

### SOME POULTRY YARD HELPS.

Save the earliest and best pullets for winter layers. If one or two are not so thrifty as the rest, get rid of them.

Keep your chicks. It is a nuisance to have to use a shotgun to catch a chicken. Incubator chicks have this advantage, they are accustomed to being handled and are never rendered unmanageable through fright.

Count your flocks as you feed. A missing one may be found and rescued from some trouble if it is looked for at once.

Strips of cloth tied on the branches of trees near the poultry yard will do much at frightening away hawks.

### THE PEAR ORCHARD.

The first three or four years after setting it is best to cultivate the pear orchard in vegetables of some sort, but never in wheat or rye. The vegetable crops require both manure and cultivation, which benefit the young pear trees.

When the pear tree makes a fine growth the fifth year the orchard can be put in clover and left two or three years in that crop.

The first crop of clover may be taken off, but the second crop should never be taken off, but should be left to rot on the ground to enrich the soil.

While the pear orchard is in clover it is beneficial to hoe or grub around each tree in the spring and keep the soil loose around it; this destroys many insects and also keeps them from nesting there.

Each spring and fall wash down the trunks and larger limbs of the trees with a solution of soft soap and water, about half and half. This will destroy insects and keep the bark smooth and healthy.

Keep down all suckers from around the roots and remove all sprouts from the trunks. The pear, however, needs but little pruning if the trees make a strong and vigorous growth for several years, unless there is a tendency to grow too much in height at the expense of the width.

Low heads are more desirable. However, when pruning is necessary it should be done to conform to the habits and natural shape of the tree. —R. B. Rushing.

### HELP FOR FARMER'S WIFE.

Never wash tan or brown hose in hot water or in water that has been used for other clothes. Use tepid water and white soap, washing carefully with the hands, rinse thoroughly, and hang at once to dry, and they will retain their colors.

A basin of cold water placed in an oven that is too hot when baking will bring down the temperature more quickly and to better purpose than by leaving the oven door open.

A vessel of boiling vinegar kept on the stove when cooking cabbage, onions or other vegetables will counteract the odor, which is often offensive when the house is closed.

Upholstered furniture should never be beaten directly upon the covering. Lay heavy cloths on top and then beat, removing the cloths frequently and shaking well. This will prevent the dust from rising and scattering and will preserve the covering.

Never put hot food of any kind into a refrigerator or meats or poultry without a plate under them. Neither leave meats wrapped in the papers in which they are brought from the market.

**DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED** by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of the are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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## OUR NEIGHBORS.

The Carter county grand jury was released Wednesday of last week, after a nine days' sitting, and the finding of sixty-nine true bills.

C. P. Estes, of Georgetown, Ky., who will be in charge of the Baptist College at Prestonsburg, is there looking over the prospects.

Thomas J. Mayo was painfully injured Tuesday while working with a mowing machine on his farm in the suburbs of Paintsville. His left leg was badly torn by the point of the cutter.

Dr. Dennis B. Rice, who graduates June 30 from the medical department of the University of Louisville, made a general average of 95 per cent, and was chosen vice-president of his class. Dr. Rice is a son of Clint Rice, a well-to-do farmer residing near Paintsville.

George Copeland is now a full fledged citizen of Paintsville. Mrs. Copeland and sons arrived from Prestonsburg last week and are comfortably housed in one of the Mayo cottages in Happy Hollow. Mr. Copeland has a nice position with John C. Mayo.

Grayson, Ky., June 26—Frank and Fred Prater, charged with the murder of Stephen Stamper last December, were acquitted this morning. This was the hardest fought case tried in many years in our courts, and the interest in it seemed to permeate all sections of our county. Able addresses were made by Judges John Marcus and H. R. Dillard for the prosecution, and Judges Will Young and E. B. Wilhoit for the defense. Frank Prater was Marshal of the town of Grayson at the time of the killing, and the Stamper boys interfered when he was attempting to arrest one Frank Bradshaw.

On last Saturday C. T. Rule purchased the stock of H. M. Stafford and Dr. I. R. Turner in the Paintsville Grocery Company, 67 shares in all, paying cash for the same. Mr. Stafford is in ill health and will retire from business and take up his residence at Cincinnati, where his son, Dr. Don Stafford, resides. Mr. Rule will take Mr. Stafford's place with the company. He has had extensive experience in the whole grocery business, having for a number of years had the management of a wholesale grocery business at Louisa. Mr. Rule is personally acquainted with the merchants of this section and will make a valuable addition to this already very prosperous concern.

Miss Bertha Johnson, of Hicksville, was visiting Mrs. E. M. Clevenger of Mr. and Mrs. Morton Hammond of Overda, last week.

W. M. Wright and wife attended the funeral at Caney Fork Sunday.

Mr. Edgell and Mr. Gilliam, traveling salesmen, were at Lindsey Webb's

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There are several cases of typhoid and malaria in our midst.

Mrs. Marie Webb is convalescent at this writing.

Died, June 24th, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Morton Hammond

tree, Sunday.

Mrs. George Carter is very low with malaria.

Linz Webb was at Dick Young's last week.

Miss Virgie Adams is very bad with fever and liver trouble.

Wesley Clark and son Arthur,

Mrs. A. D. Ball was visiting Mrs. Eliza Clevenger last week.

Mrs. Martha Large and husband, Mr. Edgell, were visiting her mother last week.

Mrs. Linzy Webb visited her sister, Lizzie, Saturday.

Mrs. Carter, who is very sick, Mrs. Sadie Crank, of Fallsborg, Plaine, were here last week with a wife, teacher the school at this place in Justice No. 30.

A. D. Ball was transacting business on Daniels and Irish Creek Saturday.

Alice Murray left last Sunday for West Virginia, where she will join her husband.

Miss Browning of Cattie was visiting Mrs. Gertrude Hayes, of Daniels Creek, Saturday.

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Now in order to get acquainted with you, and you with us, we have put on a number of lots in the city of MANVEL BRAZOSA COUNTY, TEXAS. It lies half way between Houston and Galveston.

The town is growing and public improvements are being made. Our purpose in selling these lots is to get you interested in Texas and in us. We therefore are guaranteeing you a hundred percent in your purchase. We are putting the price low so that we can make quite sale in order to have you identified with us for this winter's business. We sell these on easy payments so that all may have a chance to secure a lot and give 5 per cent discount for cash.

With each aggregated \$300 worth of lots sold, we will give you free transportation round trip, from St. Louis or Kansas City, and with each aggregated \$350 from Chicago and Indianapolis, and with \$400 worth from Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, Ohio. If you buy one lot for yourself and get enough of your friends from your territory to make the desired purchase you will get free round trip transportation. Any purchaser of a lot may get up a club and get this trip. All lots must be paid for in full before September 30, 1909, and ticket will be forwarded so that they will reach the party entitled to same by October 2, and the excursion leaves Eastern points on the morning of October 3rd, and leaves St. Louis at 8:20 P. M. October 5, 1909, on the special train composed of our dining and sleeping cars. This free transportation will take you to Houston, Manvel and Galveston, Texas, and will entitle you to a free ride in our pleasure launch on the Gulf Stop-over privileges on your ticket at any point returning.

When you reach Manvel and look over the town and find that we have represented anything, your money will be refunded right there on the ground for your own purchase and also all those whom you represent and you have your transportation for nothing. Could anything be more fair? We will show you our alfalfa, fruit, and truck land but you are under no obligation whatever to buy.

Now these lots are going fast and are being bought by the best class of people. (Not a lot has been sold or will be deeded to a negro or an undesirable citizen.) If you want to get in on the ground floor once in your life and get some real estate that is rapidly enhancing in value, get in now. Many will say, "Well the investment is too small." So it is small, yet many times \$50 or \$100 invested right has made \$1000 in a short while, and there are lots among these that will be worth more than that in 5 years, but any person purchasing of us a larger tract will receive full credit for amount paid for lot on said purchase. There is no lottery or drawing about this. Every lot is marked in plain figures. You may pick out your lot, and send money order, draft or certified check for 20 per cent. of the purchase price of the lot selected to the Manvel Town and Improvement Co., 423-424 Frisco Bldg, St. Louis, Mo. It, when your money is received, the lot you selected has been sold, your application will show the price you desire to pay, also the location. Your application is filed as soon as received, (no preference is shown relatives) and the best and closest lot unsold will be credited to you. You are then notified of the selection and if you are not satisfied with same, the money will be returned to you. Everything will be done promptly and with a view of making you a talking walking advertisement for us and our lands in the Texas Gulf Coast Country. To this end we are striving, and still we say that every person purchasing a lot in this sale has made a good purchase, and an investment, which, though small, may be the means making you independent.

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# A HALL-LIFE AND HALF A LIFE.

A Story That is Based on Big Sandy Experience and Was First Published Half A Century Ago.

"On garde longtemps son pionier, quand on n'en prend point de second." —Maximes Morales du Due de la Rochebeaucoult.

**I**t is not suffering alone that wears out our lives. We sometimes are in a state when a sharp pang would be hailed almost as a blessing,—when, rather than bear any longer this living death of stagnation, we would dash into action, into suffering, to find again the warmth of life restored to our blood, to feel it at

rag through our veins with something like a living swiftness.

This death-in-life comes sometimes to the most earnest men,—to those whose life is fullest of energy and excitement. It is the refection, the weariness which they name Ennui, that friend that eats fastest into the heart's core, that shakes with surest hand the sands of life that makes the deepest wrinkles on the cheeks and deadens most surely the lustre of the eyes.

But what are the occasional visits of this life-consumer, this vampire that sucks out the blood, to his constant, never-failing presence? There are those who feel within themselves the power of living fullest lives, sounding every chord of the full compass of passion and feeling, yet have been so hemmed around, so shut in by adverse and narrowing circumstances, that never, no, not once in their half-century of years which stretch from childhood to old age, have they been free to breath out, to speak aloud the heart that was in them. Ever the same wasting indifference to the things that are, the same ill-repressed longing for the things that might be. Long days of wearisome repetition of duties in which there is no life, followed by restless nights, when Imagination seizes the reins in her own hands, and paints the out-blossoming of those germs of happiness and fulness of being of whose existence within us carry about always the aching consciousness.

And such things I have known from the moment when I first stepped from babyhood into childhood, from the time when life ceased to be a play and came to have its duties and its sufferings. Always the haunting sense of a happiness which I was incapable of feeling, faint glimpses of a paradise of which I was a born denizen,—and always, too, the stern knowledge of the restraints which held me prisoner, the idle longings of an exile. But would no strong effort of will, no energy of heart or mind, break the bonds that held me down,—no steady perseverance of purpose win me a way out of darkness into light? No, for I was a woman, an ugly woman, whose girlhood had gone by without affection, and whose womanhood was passing without love,—a woman, poor and dependent on others for daily bread, and yet so bound by conventional duties to those around her that to break from them into independence would be to outrage all the prejudices of those who made her world.

I could plan such escape from my daily and yearly narrowing life, would dream of myself walking steadfast and unshaken through labor to independence, could picture a life where, if the heart were not fed, at least the tastes might be satisfied, could strengthen myself through all the imaginary details of my going forth from the narrow surroundings which made my prison-walls; but when the time came to take the first step, my courage failed. I could not go out into that world which looked to me so wide and lonely; the necessity for love was too strong for me. I must dwell among mine own people. There, at least, was the bond of custom, there was the affection which grows out of habit; but in the world what hope had I to win love from strangers, with my repellent looks, awkward movements, and want of personal attractions?

Few persons know that within one hundred and fifty miles of the Queen City of the West, bounded on both sides by highly cultivated tracts of country, looking out westwardly on the very garden of Kentucky, almost in the range of railroad and telegraph, in the very geographical centre of our most populous regions, there lie some thousand square miles of superb woodland, rolling, hill above hill, in the beautiful undulations which characterize the country bordering on the Ohio, watered by fair streams which need only the clearing away of the few obstructions incident to a new country to make them navigable, and yet a country where the mail passes only once a week, where all communication is by horse-paths or by the slow course of the flat-boat, where schools are not known and churches are never seen, where the Methodist itinerant preacher gives all the religious instruction, and a stray newspaper furnishes all the political information. Does any one doubt my statement? Then let him ask a passage up-stream in one of the flat-boats that supply the primitive necessities of the small farmers to dwell on the banks of the Big Sandy, in that debatable border-land between Kentucky and Virginia; or let him, if he have a taste for adventure, hire his horse at Catlettsburg, at the mouth of the river, and lose his way among the blind bridle-paths that lead to Louisa and to Prestonsburg. If he stops to ask a night's lodging at one of the farm-houses that are to be found at the junction of the creeks with the rivers, log-houses with their primitive out-buildings, their half-constructed rafts of lumber ready to float down-stream with the next rise, their "dug-outs" for the necessities of river-intercourse, and their rough ex-carts for hauling to and from the mill, he will see before him such a home as that in which I passed the first twenty years of my life.

I had little claim on the farmer with whom I lived. I was the child by a former marriage of his wife, who had brought me with her into this wilderness, a puny, ailing creature of four years, and into the three years that followed was compressed all the happiness I could remember. The free life in the open air, the nourishing influence of the rich natural scenery by which I was surrounded, the grand, silent trees with their luxuriant foliage, the fresh, strong growth of the vegetation, all seemed to breathe health into my frame, and with health came the capacity for enjoyment. I was happy in the mere gift of existence, happy in the fulness of content, with no playmate but the kindly and lovely mother Earth from whose bosom I drew fulness of life.

But in my seventh year my mother died, worn out by the endless, unvarying round of labors which break down the constitutions of our small farmers' wives. She grew sallow and thin under repeated attacks of chills and fever, brought into the world, one after another, three puny infants, only to lay them away from her breast, side by side, under the syphilitic that overshadowed our cradle, and visibly wasted away, growing more and more feeble, until, one winter morning, we laid her, too, at her baby's feet. Before the year was out, my father (so I called him) was married again.

My step-mother was a good woman, and meant to do her duty by me. Nay, she was more than that; she was, as far her poor sight went, a Christian. She had experienced religion in the great revival of 18—, which was felt all through Western Kentucky, under the preaching of the Reverend Peleg Dawson, and when she married my father and went to bury herself in the wilds of "Up Sandy" was a shining light in the Methodist Church, a class-leader who had had and had told experiences.

But all that glory was over; it had flashed its little day; for there is a glow in the excitement of our religious revivals as potent in its effect on the imaginations of women and young men as ever were the fastings and penances which brought the dreams and reveries, the holy visions and the glorious revelations, of the Catholic votaries. In this short, triumphant time of spiritual pride lay the whole romance of my step-mother's life. Perhaps it was well for her soul that she was taken from the scene of her triumphs and brought again to the hard realities of life. The self-exaltation, the ungodly pride passed away; but there was left the earnest, prayerful desire to do her duty in her way and calling, and the first path of duty which opened to her was that which led to the care of a motherless child, the saving of an immortal soul. And in all sincerity and uprightness did she strive to walk in it. But what woman of five-and-thirty, who has outlived her youth and womanly tenderness in the loneliness and hardening influences of a single life, and who marries at last for a shelter in old age, knows the wants of a little child? Indeed, what but a mother's love has the long-enduring patience to support the never-ceasing calls for forbearance and perseverance which a child makes upon a grown person?

Those little ones need the nourishment of love and praise, but such milk for babes can come only from a mother's breast. I got none of it. On the contrary, my dearly loved independence, my wild-wood life, where Nature had become to me my nursing-mother, was exchanged for one of never-ceasing supervision. "Little girls must learn to be useful," was the phrase that greeted my unwilling ears fifty times a day, which pursued me through my daily round of dish-washings, floor-sweepings, bed-making and potato-peeling, to overtake me at last in the very moment when I hoped to reap the reward of my diligence in a free afternoon by the river-side in the crook of the water-maple that hung over the stream, clutching me and fastening me down to the hated square of patchwork, which bore, in the spots of red that defaced its white purity in following the line of my stitches, the marks of the wounds that my awkward hands inflicted on themselves with their tiny weapon.

And so the years went on. It was a pity that no babies came to soften our hearts, my step-mother's and mine, and to draw us nearer together as only the presence of children can. A household without children is always hard and angular, even when surrounded by all the softening influences of refinement and education. What was ours with its poverty and roughness, its every-day cares and its endless discomforts? One day was like all the rest, and in their wearying succession they rose up in my memory like ghosts of the past coming to lay their cold, death-like hands on the feebly kindling hopes of the present. I see myself now, as I look back, a tall, awkward girl of fifteen, with my long, struggling, sunburnt hair, my sallow, yet pimply complexion, my small, weak-looking blue eyes, that every exposure to the sun and wind would reddish, and my long lean hands and arms, that offended my sense of beauty constantly, as I dwelt on their hopelessly angular turns. I had one beauty, so my little paper-framed glass, that rested on the rough rafter that edged the sloping roof of my garret, told me whenever I took it down to gaze in it, which, but for that beauty, would have been but sold. It was a finely cut and firmly set mouth and chin. There was, and I felt it, beauty and character in the curves of the lips, in the rounding of the chin, there was even a healthy ruddiness in the lips, and something of delicacy in the even, well-set teeth that showed themselves when they parted.

The gazing at these beauties gave me great pleasure, not for any effect they might ever produce in others,—what did I know of that?—but because I had in myself a strong love of the beautiful, a passion for grace of form and brilliancy of color which made doubly distasteful to me our bare, uncouth walls, with their ugly straight-backed chairs, and their faintly painted yellow or red tables and chests of drawers.

My step-mother's appearance, too, was a constant offence to my beauty-loving eye,—with her lank, tall figure, round which clung those narrow skirts of "blit" calico, dingy red or earthy brown,—her feet shod in the heavy store-shoes which were brought from Catlettsburg by the returning flat-boat men,—her sharp-featured face, the forehead and cheeks covered with brown, mouldy-looking spots, the eyes deep-set, with a livid dyspeptic ring around them, and the lips thin and pinched,—the whole face shaded by the eternal sun-bonnet, which never left her head from early sunrise till late bedtime (no Sandy woman is ever seen without her sunbonnet). All these were perpetual annoyances to me; they made me discontented without knowing why; they filled me with disgust, a disgust which my respect for her good qualities could not overcome.

And then our life, how dreary! The rising in the cold, gray dawn to prepare the breakfast of corn-doggers and bacon for my father and his men,—the spreading the table-cloth, stained with the soil-spots of yesterday's meal,—the putting upon it the ugly unmatched crockery,—the straggling in of the unwashed, uncombed men in their coarse working-clothes, redolent of the week's unwholesome toil,—their washings, combings, and low talk close by my side,—the varied uses to which our household utensils were put,—the dipping of dirty knives into the salt and of dirty fingers into the meat-dish,—all filled me then, and fill me now, with loathing.

There was a relief when the men left the house; but then came the dreary "slacking-up," almost more disgusting, in its false, superficial show of cleanliness, than had been the open carelessness of the workmen. But there was no time for rest; my step-mother's sharp, high-pitched voice was heard calling, "Janet!" and I followed her to the garden to dig the potatoes from the hills or to the cornfield to pull and husk the three dozen ears to corn which made our chief dish at dinner. Then came the week's washing, the apple-peeling, the pork-salting, work varied only with

the varying season, until the blowing of the horn at twelve brought back the men to dinner, after which came again the clearing up, again the day's task, and again the supper.

I often thought that the men around us were always more cheerful and merry than the women. They worked as hard, they endured as many hardships, but they had, certainly, more pleasures. There was the evening lounge by the fire in winter, the sitting on the fence or at the doorstep in summer, when pipe or cigar in mouth, knife and whittling-stick in hand, jest and gibe would pass round among them, and the boisterous laugh would go up, reaching me, as I lay, tired out on my little cot, or leaned disconsolate at my garret-window, looking with longing eyes far out into the darkness of the woods. No such gatherings together of the women did I ever see. If one of our neighbors dragged her weary steps to our kitchen, and sat herself down, bag in lap, on the upturned tub or flag-ottoman chair that I dusted off with my apron, it was to commence the querulous complaint of the last week's shift or the heavy washing of the day before, the ailing baby, or the troublesome child, all told in the same whining voice. Even the choice bit of gossip which rousted us at rare intervals always had its dark side, on which these poor women dwelt with a perverse pleasure.

In short, life was too hard for them; it brought its constant care without any alleviating pleasures. Their homes were only places of monotonous labor, their husbands so many hard taskmasters, who exacted from them more than their strength could give,—their children, who should have been the delight of their mothers' hearts, so many additional burdens, the bearing and nursing of which broke down their poor remaining health; the glorious and lavish Nature in which they lived only brought to them added labor, and shut them out from the few social enjoyments that they knew of.

I was old enough to tell all this,—not to reason on it as I can now, but to rebel against it with all the violence of a vehement nature which feels its strength only in the injuries it inflicts upon itself in its useless struggles for freedom. Bitter tears did I shed sometimes, as I lay with my head on my arms, leaning on that narrow window-sill,—tears of passionate regret that I was not a boy, a man that I might, by the very force of my right arm, how my way out of that encircling forest into the world of which I dreamed,—tears, too, that, being as I was, only an ugly, ignorant girl, I could not be allowed to care only for myself, and dream away my life in this same forest, which charmed me while it hemmed me in. My rude, chaotic nature had something of force in it, strength which I knew would stand me in good stead, could I ever find an outlet for it; it had also a power of enjoyment, keen, vivid, could I ever get leave to enjoy, when they parted.

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### Buchanan.

Mrs. Harve Mikels, of Prichard, W. Va., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Bromfield.

Prof. Jas. P. Faulkner, of Berea College, gave us a nice speech at the schoolhouse Monday, his subject being upon education.

Several folks of this place attended the Children's Day at Durbin last Sunday.

Mrs. Jesse Byrd, of Catlettsburg, has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends here.

Mrs. Lindsey Layne has been visiting relatives at Ashland and Catlettsburg.

Several scholars of our Sunday School will attend the convention at Louisa the 1st and 2nd of July.

F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., of Louisa, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

The storm here Sunday with heavy wind caused considerable damage to corn crops.

Saturday morning, June 26th, Mrs. Zellie Taylor died at her father's at Buchanan, aged 23 years, 1 month and 19 days. She had been very ill for some time and her death was a great shock to her relatives and friends.

She was converted about four years ago and has lived a good woman ever since. She was the daughter of James Edmund and wife of John Taylor. She was loved and respected by all who knew her. She was a kind and loving daughter, a noble sister and affectionate wife. The funeral was conducted by Rev. John Buckley, and was one of the most appropriate sermons ever given at this place. The body was enclosed in a beautiful casket and laid to rest in the cemetery at Buchanan Chapel.

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### Whites Creek.

The Children's Day at Durbin last Sunday was largely attended and all report a good time.

G. W. Rous made a trip to Catlettsburg Monday.

H. W. Bluebawm lost a fine steer last week.

O. O. Wright, of Proctorville, Ohio, has contracted to teach the school at Silver Run.

John Honaker, who has been in the hospital at Catlettsburg for some time, has been brought home and is getting along nicely.

George and Sadie Queen attended the Children's Day exercises at Durbin Sunday.

Herbert Childers returned home Sunday from the oil fields in W. Va.

Mrs. Eastham, of Catlettsburg, is the guest of Mrs. G. W. Rous this week.

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### Ulysses.

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Miss Marie Chapman, of Huntington, is visiting relatives here.

The little 7-years-old son of James Lowe and wife died of typhoid fever June 5th.

Miss Sadie Lemaster, daughter of Henry Lemaster, of Nelson's Branch, and a Mr. Yates, of Ashland, were married at the home of the bride last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Yates have gone to Ashland, where they intend to make their future home.

Mrs. Fannie Debord attended church at Lowmansville Saturday.

J. F. Debord is raising a fine lot of cattle this summer. The water is getting so low that he can't do much good with his grist mill at present.

Scott Boyd is going to teach the school at Ulysses. He will begin July 12.

N. A. George, Jr., will teach the West Creek school. It being a new district and no schoolhouse he will not begin teaching until there is a new house built, which we hope will be done in the near future.

Miss Bertha Pose, who will soon graduate from the State Normal at Richmond, will teach the new district at Walnut Grove.

A. M. Davis and wife have arrived from Louisville, where Mr. Davis has just completed his second term at the medical school.

Miss Tella Moore of Mattle, was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Tishie Carter, last Friday.

The Bell Telephone Co. is going to establish a telephone service at the place known as the Farmer's Telephone Line, with the central office at J. A. Beasley's residence. Several farmers are going to have phones placed in their dwellings.

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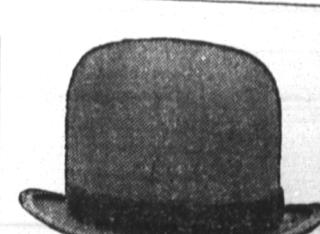
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Coca-Cola Bottling Company,

Louisa, Ky.

Jennie, W. Va., postoffice will be discontinued June 30.